

WEEKLY EXPOSITOR.

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BROCKWAY CENTRE, St. Clair Co., Mich., THURSDAY, Nov. 1, 1888.

Price: \$1.00 per Year.

Holden Bros.' Column.

HOLDEN BROS.

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TO THE FRONT,

with a full stock of

FALL GOODS.

The completeness of our stock has no equal in the village. We want your trade and can only expect to get it by fair dealing and by presenting such a stock of goods that cannot fail to meet with your approval.

DRY GOODS!

This department is complete. Dress Goods in all styles, colors and prices. Plush, Velveteens, Novelty Trimmings, Buttons. A large stock of Wash Goods, Indigos, Gingham. An elegant line of Novelty Prints and Notions of all kinds, and

Gents' Furnishings Goods.

Boots & Shoes

45 CASES JUST RECEIVED.

You cannot fail to find just what you want. Our \$2.50 kip boots have no equal. Our \$2.00 Ladies' kid shoe, none better

A Large Variety of Children Shoes.

Ye that have families to shoe this fall will find it to your interest to give us a call.

Hats and Caps

We have a complete stock in this line of goods.

Every Shape, Quality, Size and Price.

GROCERIES!

We keep constantly on hand a choice stock in this line.

Fine Teas A Specialty.

You will always find out prices as low as the lowest.

GIVE US A CALL.

THE OLD RELIABLE FIRM

—OF—

Holden Bros.

Brockway Centre.

Local Expositions.

Last evening was Hallowe'en.

Mrs. E. R. Beecher visited among friends in Detroit the past week or so.

A. H. Braidwood was in Detroit this week purchasing new fall and winter goods.

John Wark was called to Canada recently on account of the death of his mother.

Robt. M. Lothian has a change of ad. in this issue which every reader is directed to peruse.

David Teetzel has purchased a team of young horses from Benj. Anger paying \$150 therefor.

We noticed by the Mayville Monitor that our friend Jas. H. Moore was in that village last week.

Miss Nellie Smith, of Brockway, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ellis for a few days this week.

J. W. Nelson is around among his friends in this place shaking hands and renewing old acquaintance.

C. F. Michaels is rushing Lutz Bros. brick block to completion, notwithstanding the unfavorable weather.

A number of the young folks of the village indulged in a pleasant party at Jas. Wallace's home last Monday evening.

Tom McArthur has fitted up the building purchased of John Sexton and is putting in a stock of shelf and heavy hardware.

Master Clarence Holden started last Thursday for Belleville, Ont., to visit his Grandpa Haight and other friends for a time.

E. H. Drake addressed the fifth ward republican club of Port Huron Tuesday evening on the political issues before the people.

Philo Truesdell, Port Huron's live and energetic marble dealer, has placed some fine monuments in Elmwood cemetery lately.

Gilbert R. Lovejoy, candidate on the republican ticket for State Senator, 15th district, called in for a social chat on Friday last.

A very enthusiastic republican meeting was held at Melvin Tuesday evening and addressed by Frank Whipple of Port Huron.

We are pleased to notice that H. J. McPhee and family have moved to the village and rented Wm. V. McIntyre's house and lot.

It seems to us that there are less persons afflicted with rheumatism, since our druggists sell Salvation Oil. Price twenty-five cents a bottle.

Miss Carrie E. Tolmie is organizing a music class in the village and is prepared to give lessons either on the piano or organ at reasonable rates.

E. F. Law, principal of our schools, and one of the county board of school examiners, attended the teachers' examination at Capac Saturday last.

A train composed of empty freight cars passed here on Sunday. Business is so brisk through the week that Sunday is taken up in distributing cars along the line.

W. H. Ballentine, of Brockway, met with a severe accident one day lately by being thrown from a wagon and breaking one of the bones in his shoulder. It is hoped he will soon recover.

Geo. Gill left on Tuesday with his family for Brinton, Mich., where he will make his future home. George's many friends will learn with regret of his departure. May he ever prosper in our worst wish.

C. W. Lowry, photographer, has fitted up the building north of Waring & Chamberlain's brick store, and is prepared to do work in his line at a reasonable price. Give him a call and be convinced of his first-class work and low prices.

It was once supposed that scrofula could not be eradicated from the system but the marvelous results produced by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla disprove this theory. The reason is, this medicine is the most powerful blood-purifier ever discovered.

The oyster supper given at James Hisey's last Thursday evening for the purpose of raising money to build a new step in front of the M. E. church, was a decided success both financially and socially. A large number of people was present and passed the evening in social enjoyment. The net proceeds amounted to over \$18.

"It is all over town," said the Arab. "What?" asked the old man, his eyebrows bristling with curiosity. "Mud" said the youngster, while his mouth went clear around his ears in a grin. "Right you are," said the old man. "With the mud come colds and coughs, and you know the remedy." "Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup," rejoined the boy. "Right you are again!"

J. C. Bradley, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Chas. Fusee, of Fargo, were callers at the Expositor office Friday last. Mr. Bradley was a former merchant of Fargo, but now is conducting a successful business in Cleveland.

Frank S. Parker, of Marine City, republican candidate for county clerk made this office a very pleasant call Friday last as also did Judge H. W. Stevens, of Port Huron, candidate on same ticket for prosecuting attorney.

The consciousness of having a remedy at hand for croup, pneumonia, sore throat, and sudden colds, is very comforting to a parent. With a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house, one feels, in such cases, a sense of security nothing else can give.

All young men should know that they may vote a day before they are 21. Legally a man becomes 21 on the day before his 21st birthday. The law recognizes no part of the day, so that a man who becomes 21 at any time during Nov. 7th, may vote on Nov. 6th.

The population of Brockway Centre is about 900, and we would say at least one-half are troubled with some affection of the throat and lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all our readers not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs. Trial size free. Large bottles 50c. and \$1. Sold by all druggists.

W. Reid, of Mt. Salem, has recently bought a thorough-bred Southdown buck of Dan Foley, for which he paid \$80.—Capac Journal. Mr. Foley has a lot of fine bred stock on his farm which command the highest price when placed on the market. Intending purchasers of Percheron horses, Berkshire pigs, or Southdown sheep will do well by calling on Mr. Foley at his farm in Emmet township and see what he has.

D. McKenzie, of Brockway, sold Fuller Bros. \$39 worth of butter recently. Farmers bring produce to this place on account of the prices paid.—Capac Journal. Stephen Barr, living in the southwestern part of this township, sold nearly 300 pounds of butter at one time to Alex. H. Braidwood of this village and received 20 cts. per pound for the same. One day last week our merchants paid as high as 22 cts. per pound in cash. If the farmers would only bring their farm produce to this village they would reap the benefit of the highest prices paid every time.

At the county clerk's office a large number of men have taken out their first papers during the past two months. These men will not be voters this fall. One of the most prolific sources of fraud in our elections is the registration of persons of foreign birth, on what are called their "first papers." When a person of foreign birth offers himself for registration, and exhibits his first papers, or declaration of intention, if the paper bears date six months before the then election, many, if not all, of the registration boards will register them without further questions. Bear in mind that the papers must not only have been issued six months before the election, but the person must have lived in the state two years and six months. (See election laws, p. 5, sec. 28.) When a person of foreign birth offers himself for registration require him (if not fully known to be a voter) to show his papers, and ask him "When did you become a permanent resident of this state?" Ask him also any further questions that may be necessary to test his right to be registered.

Political matters are getting decidedly warm. Candidates from coronor to governor are in the field doing their best work. In the national and state campaign the tide of battle now tends to one side and then to the other. Reasons are adduced from every possible source and appeals are made to every conceivable motive by which men may be influenced. Indeed some of the speakers made use of the "race classification" to arouse the feelings of their hearers. This we think is a consideration which should never be brought into view; it is too dangerous a weapon to be employed in any political contest under our form of government. Such classification as the Irish vote, the German vote, the Catholic vote, should have nothing whatever to do in American politics. Appeals to these citizens as distinct classes cannot be made without introducing some question of foreign significance or arousing prejudice against them. Race or religion is not a reason for or against any man. Every voter should act simply as an American citizen, and for the best interests of his country, himself and his children. The aim should be to obliterate and not perpetuate, and intensify class distinctions, and to lead all men to believe that they have common interests.

NOW IS THE TIME!

—TO BUY—

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

At Low Prices.

Straw Hats,

Wool Hats,

Fur Hats,

Stiff Hats,

Boys' Hats,

Child'n's Hats

Men's Shirts,

Boys' Shirts,

Men's Shoes,

Boys' Shoes,

Overalls,

Underwear.

A Choice Line of Groceries Always On Hand.

We always pay the highest price for Butter and Egg. Please give us a call and get prices.

ALEX. H. BRAIDWOOD.

Go to Wear & Paisley's

—FOR YOUR—

BOOTS AND SHOES.

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| Men's Rubber Boots for..... | \$2 00 | Good Whole Stock Boot, sole and | |
| Best Long Leg Boot in town, | | tap for..... | \$2 00 |
| whole stock, for..... | \$3 50 | Boys' Boots from..... | 90c. to \$1.50 |

In Ladies' Misses' and Children's Shoes we down them all.

OUR DRY GOODS STOCK

IS FULL AND COMPLETE.

Best Indigo Prints for 7 cents, all others 6 cents. Our line of Clothing is full and complete, and we are selling at prices that defy competition. In Ladies' Misses' and Children's Cloaks we are to the front in quality and price, and we are going to stay there.

Thanking the public for past favors and soliciting a continuance of the same we are
Yours respectfully,

WEAR & PAISLEY.

One door north of Leonard's Hardware.

Clothing & Furnishing Goods.

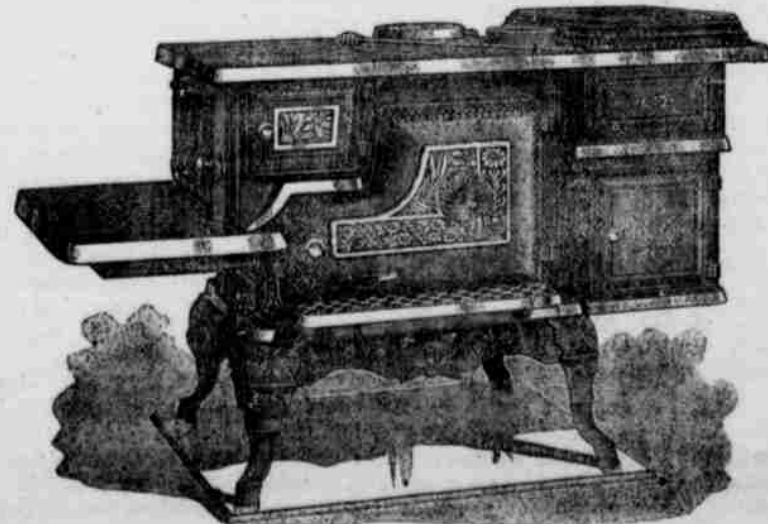
We have a new and excellent line of the above including

Novelties in NECKWEAR, COLLARS & CUFFS.

We are straining every faculty to make it profitable for you to pay cash for goods.

Call and see our line before spending your money elsewhere. Remember, we have all lines kept in a general store.

W. H. PALMER.



—A FULL LINE OF—

COOKING AND HEATING STOVES,

—AT—

H. F. LEONARD'S.

One door south of Post Office.

Brockway Centre, Mich.